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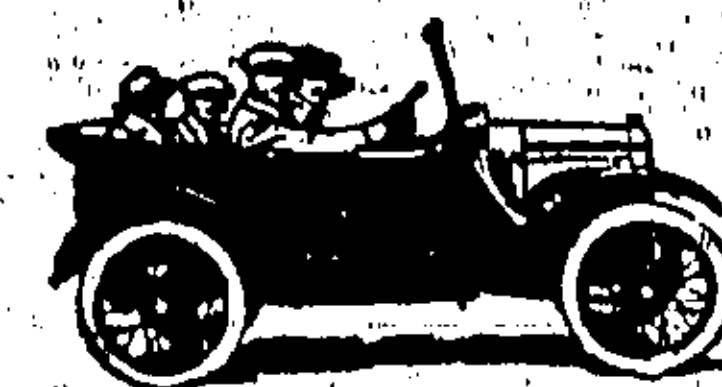
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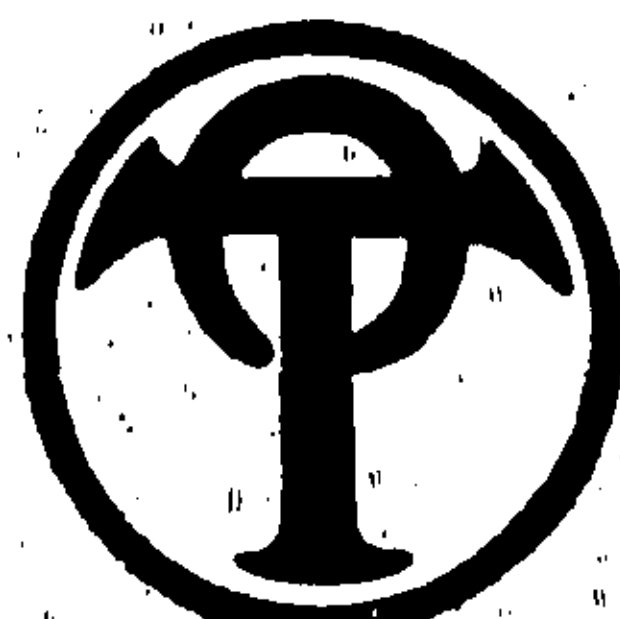
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Dr. Addison has been representing the Colony at the conference held at Singapore for the purpose of creating an Epidemiological Intelligence Bureau for the collection and dissemination of information regarding the health conditions at the principal seaports of the Far East.

"Everything is in order to be set going at once," said Dr. Addison. In answer to further questions, he said that he was to act as the disseminator and collector of information for Hongkong. "I shall receive news each week from other ports as to exactly what is happening there in regard to disease." This would be of great help to those responsible for the health of the Colony, said Dr. Addison, as before they had not been able to keep in touch with what was happening.

It was at the Medical Conference held at the University a few weeks ago that the first public discussion took place here on the recommendations of the Mission sent out by the League of Nations to collect information regarding the incidence of epidemic diseases. The chief contribution was that of Dr. C. E. Lim, who was one of the first students to graduate from Hongkong University, and who has since interested himself primarily in matters of health in relation to Shanghai.

Dr. Lim pointed out that in these days of rapid communication and means of communication the control of infectious diseases, instead of being a matter of purely local significance, had become a subject of international concern. Improved means of communication had resulted in bringing cities and nations into closer touch, but this had not been without its attendant evils, as it had introduced diseases into territories in which they were non-existent. The fight would have to be waged on a world-wide basis if there was to be success, said Dr. Lim.

Another matter touched upon at the Medical Conference, but which Dr. Addison told the "China Mail" reporter had not been officially discussed at Singapore, was the question of the suggested League of Nations' grading of Far Eastern ports which Dr. Lim thought would open people's eyes to the fact that in most of the ports the minimum requisites of the League were absent. If nothing were discussed.

Amongst the passengers who left by the s.s. "Empress of Australia" to-day were Sir Harry Lauder and Lady Lauder, Lady Pearce, Dr. E. Muir, and Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Wright.

BIG VOTE OFFER CLOSES TO-MORROW.

The first period—the big vote-getting period—of the "China Mail" and "Sunday Herald" Popularity Campaign will close to-morrow at 11 p.m. That means just to-day and to-morrow, practically twenty-four hours, in which the contestants now in the race and others who intend to enter may pile up a commanding total of credits for themselves.

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ed officially, however, at Singapore there can be little doubt that the delegates had much to say to each other unofficially on the matter. As a result of this, improvements may possibly be made which will go far to make up the much-needed requirements for first class grading.

ECHO OF THE WAR.

"LUSITANIA" CLAIMS DECISION.

(Reuter's American Service.)

WASHINGTON, February 20.

The umpire of the German-American Mixed Claims Commission has decided that Germany is under obligation to make compensation for damages suffered by American citizens who are dependants of descendants of the British subjects whose lives were lost in the sinking of the "Lusitania." [The giant Cunard liner "Lusitania" was torpedoed off the coast of Ireland by a German submarine during the war.]

TROTSKY AND HIS WIFE NOW EXILES.



Leon Trotsky, Soviet Commissar for War, and his wife, have arrived at their new home in Trans-Caucasia, where a new Soviet Republic is rapidly gaining formidable strength, according to reports from Moscow. It is rumored that Trotsky may become one of the dominant forces directing the new government. This photograph shows Trotsky and his wife seated in the tonneau of the motor car in which they arrived in Trans-Caucasia.

SAPPERS STABBED.

UNPROVOKED ATTACK AT WANCHAI.

VICTIMS IN HOSPITAL.

A gang of men attacked four Chinese sappers near the Fire Station at Wanchai, yesterday. Two of the sappers were taken to the Government Civil Hospital with stab wounds.

One of the sappers states that he left Wellington Barracks at 8 o'clock last night along with three others and proceeded along the Praya. Nearing the Fire Station they were attacked by about 15 men dressed in dark clothing and having the appearance of being tradesmen. A dispute arose in the course of which two of the sappers were stabbed. The assailants are then reported to have quickly dispersed.

The men are unable to give any reason for the attack.

Five mistresses and two masters of cargo boats were let off with a caution at the Marine Court this morning on pleading guilty to causing an obstruction at the Eastern Street ferry steps.

GERMAN MARKS.

CHIEF JUSTICE RESERVES HIS DECISION.

Judgment was reserved in the Supreme Court case reported yesterday arising out of a deal in German marks.

The plaintiffs were Guley & Co., of Fenchurch Street, London E.C., and the defendants Maxim & Co., of Queen's Buildings, Hongkong.

The claim was for £1,150 in regard to which the defendants said their liability ended when they paid into the Banque Industrielle in Hongkong. This Bank shortly afterward went into liquidation and the plaintiffs argued that the agreement was to pay the money in London and that the money was still owed to them.

BOGUS COOK.

VAIN EFFORT TO BOARD A STEAMER.

A knowledge of English would have stood an unemployed Chinese in good stead at the Rowloon Docks on Wednesday evening when he produced a pass to go on board the steamer "Argentine" to prove his bona fides. He had been arrested and handed over to Mr. G. H. Cuthill who is in charge of the Dock watchmen. His statement was that he was a cook on board a Norwegian steamer in docks, but the pass disproved it.

At the Marine Court this morning he was prosecuted for being on board the s.s. "Arizona Maru" without permission.

His excuse was of no avail and as he had a previous conviction he was sentenced to six weeks' hard labour.

His Worship (Lieut.-Commander G. F. Hole, R.N.) also imposed sentence of two weeks on another Chinese charged with the bogus cook.

A workman of the Gas Company was taken to the Government Civil Hospital yesterday suffering from burns accidentally received at the works.

SUN'S SUCCESSOR.

CANTON'S NEXT BIG PROBLEM.

SEARCH FOR A LEADER.

Menace of Yunnanese Invasion.

Canton is now seriously discussing who is to be successor to Dr. Sun Yat-sen in the event of its not coming immediately under the rule of Peking. Invasion is only feared from the band of Yunnanese adventurers in Kwangsi and not, at present, from any other source.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Canton, February 19. Tang Shao-yi is not generally acceptable to the rank and file of Dr. Sun's party as the next leader. Further, it is extremely doubtful if Tang himself would be willing to lead the Canton faction in the event of his being invited to do so.

nominal leader of the Kuo Min Tang party. Everybody will be content to mark time and remain in their present positions as long as they can.

Except for the scare of press-gangs Canton is normal. There is no under-current of excitement.

Nor is invasion from the North anticipated. At present the danger lies in the proximity of the army sent out by the Yunnan Tuchen, Tang Chi-yao and the fact of this rabble preferring Canton as a domicile to the wilderness of Kwangsi.

On the East River front, the Canton forces are meeting with almost uninterrupted success. Each day sees the arrival of more troops at the front. It will not be long before Canton takes up the offensive seriously and carries the battle into Chan Kwang-ming's territory. Unless the split in Chan's ranks be patched up, there is no telling how far Canton will go.

Meanwhile propagandists are again busy with peace rumours. As in previous instances little will come of the talk unless it be imperative for a new leader to make sacrifices for the cause. The more moderate Kuo Min Tang men are using this opportunity to find a man acceptable to both the anti-Sun and pro-Sun factions, but their efforts will not count for much as they have not the military backing.

DESPERATE RESORT TO PROLONG LIFE.

CHINESE DRUGS

The "Canton Gazette" of yesterday says:—

A telegram received here yesterday from Peking states that it is likely that Dr. Sun, yielding to numerous telegraphic appeals and entreaties, may leave the Peking Union Hospital and remove to a private residence to undergo treatment under the Chinese medical system.

This decision, although reluctantly agreed to, is approved by Madam Sun and the intimate attendants of Dr. Sun. The fact that the medical experts of the P.U.M.C. have frankly and repeatedly stated that they are unable to do more for the patient than to administer the Radium treatment as a palliative, renders the proposed change less distasteful as a desperate resort to prolong the life of the patient.

[Our contemporary ignores the telegrams stating that Dr. Sun has already been removed to Dr. Wellington Koo's residence.]

A GOOD NIGHT.

(By Courtesy of "Daily Bulletin.")

PEKING, February 19. Dr. Kreig, who is attending Sun Yat-sen, issued a bulletin saying that the removal of Sun Yat-sen from hospital to a private residence was effected without difficulty. The patient, who had a good night, feels more comfortable to-day, and his temperature is normal and pulse 104, and his appetite is improving.

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FAN-TAN AND MAH-JONG.

Fan-Tan, a gambling game, is

Chinese children play games that more or less resemble those of the West, but the adult rarely takes interest in anything requiring physical exertion or training; he is content with his mah-jong, dominoes or chess, writes a correspondent of the North China Herald.

pean resident in China. Stakes are laid on the number of cash that will be left (whether one, two, or three) after raking out four at a time from an unknown number exposed on the table. Cash, beans, buttons or any small article may be used. Mah Jong hardly needs description in these days of its universal popularity, and even

The mist of ages obscures the origin of most Chinese games, but one rather remarkable feature is at once noticeable in making a study of them. No ball games exist. In the West the ball is supreme. Golf, tennis, football, cricket, baseball, billiards, bowling pay homage to it. Not so in China as will be seen from the following brief description of how the children and youth of the country make use of their play time.

where a description attempted no two schools would agree upon it. Briefly Mah Jong is a set of 136 tiles four each of 34 different kinds. The tiles are drawn by the players in rotation from a wall in the middle of the table, the object being to acquire 14 tiles made up into sets of three, of a kind or sequence of three, with a pair to complete the 14 tiles required. Bah Ju is one of the most common gambling games. This game can

CHINESE PASTIMES.
The Horizontal Bar of our gymnasium days is one of the most popular exercises among young people. The bar is usually a piece of bamboo about ten feet from the ground. The game is to posture in different positions on the bar. Balance rather than action is the aim, and some of the positions are said to represent monkeys climbing or jumping from tree to tree. This game is only played in warm weather, as heavy clothing interferes with the turning and twisting of the body. "Bar Belle" are also commonly seen in China's villages. They are usually made of stone with a piece of bamboo for a handle, and the weight varies from 60 to 140 lbs. This game is merely a matter of developing strength; the bar bell is raised overhead usually with one hand only, spun round and also handled as a lance.

be played by four or more people. A set of 32 cards is used. These cards are engraved with two to 12 dots each similar to dominos. Two cards are distributed to each player by the leaders, who also keeps two cards for himself. The dots and tens are dropped, viz, 12 is regarded as two, and 23 as three. Wagers are made before the cards are distributed. This game is prohibited in many provinces except during the New Year holidays.

STREET GAMES.

Copper Rolling is usually indulged in by children, and is gradually developing into gambling. Up until a few years ago round pieces of stone cut from thin broken tiles were used. These tiles were first roughly cut and then rubbed smooth and very round against a piece of hard stone. The manner of rolling is

Chess is popular among business men and is called "Ziang Chee." This is a military game, the pieces comprising one general, two bodyguards, two marshals, two elephants, two chariots, two field generals, and five foot soldiers. The board is 9x9, in which the game is played is divided into 64 squares, 32 on each side, with a "river" between them. On certain of these squares small starting lines are added to indicate the place for the general and his bodyguards. Two sets of pieces (black and white) are put on the same board, with the river to separate the two opposing players. The value of the various pieces is curiously similar to the same pieces in chess as usually played by foreigners, the pieces in the Chinese game corresponding roughly to the king, bishops, knights, rooks and pawns of the Western game. Each piece has its own move, and the ultimate aim is to checkmate the king, who cannot be removed from the board. It is possible to stalemate in the Chinese game, to draw it, or to mate.

the same whether a stone or copper is used. A piece of flint stone or a sun-dried brick is placed on the ground, and one end is slightly raised. The copper, held in the right hand, is thrown three or four feet above it, and is dropped so that the edge strikes the surface of the slanting piece of stone. It will roll quite a distance if the ground is smooth. The owner of the copper which rolls the farthest has a chance to hit the copper nearest his copper. If he hits it he takes the copper, and continues to hit until he misses. This pastime is not generally favoured by parents, as it is rapidly developing into a gambling game.

Kite Flying is enjoyed by all children as in India. The frame of the Chinese kite is usually made from thin strips of bamboo and pasted with this tough paper. It is made to represent animals and insects. On the more elaborate kites a system of vibrating strings or gut is stretched across a board forming the top of the kite. Travelling through the country of

Finger Guessing is always one of the pastimes at feasts. Two persons each hold up one hand. A number is called out, and at the same time the fingers are stretched. The sum of the fingers of the two hands are then added together. For instance, if one person is stretching out one finger and the other person three fingers, the number "four" should be called. Fists are allowed, and are counted as nothing. The one who guesses correctly wins the game. The loser must drink a cup of wine, or more (as previously agreed). This game is said to be encouraged by the host, as he has the satisfaction of knowing that his guests are

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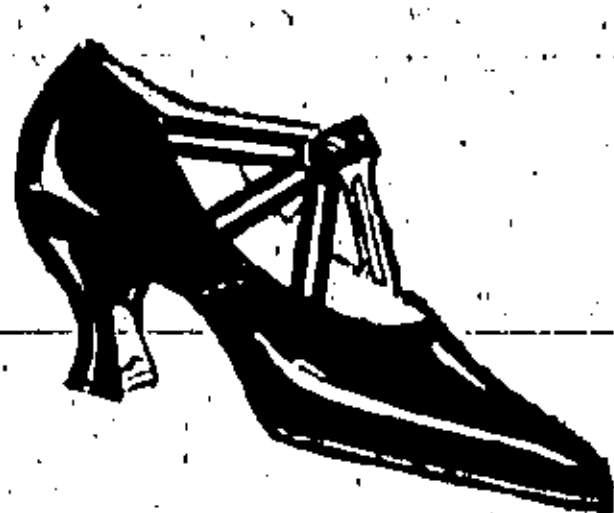
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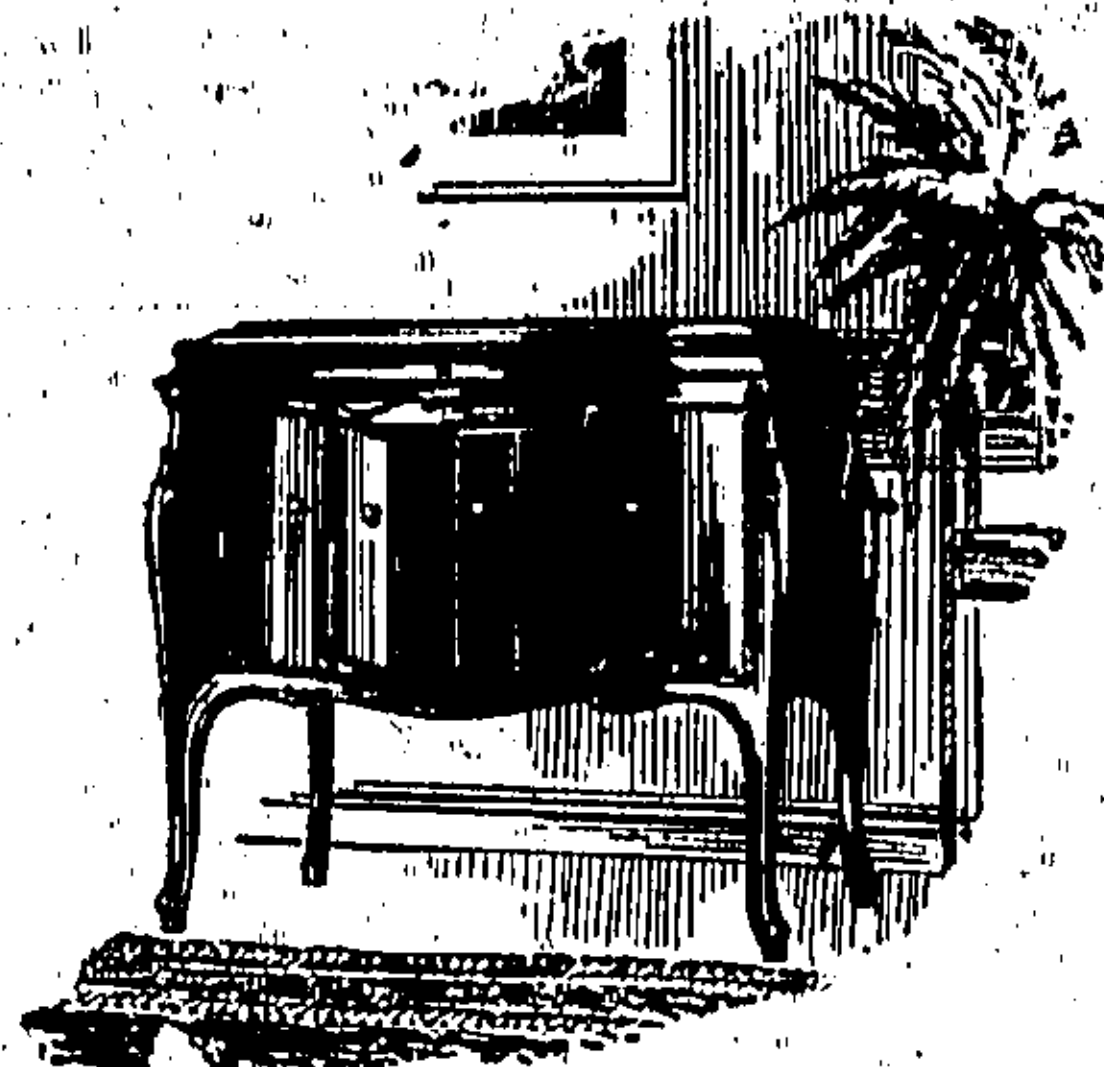
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LOCAL OPIUM TRADE.

Hongkong owes its present opium monopoly to the British Government's policy eighty years ago. Viscount Palmerston, in his instructions to Sir H. Pottinger, on the eve of his departure for the Far East, emphasized that the opium trade must be placed on "some regular and legalised footing" before any real understanding could be reached with China. "While the opium trade is forbidden by law," he wrote, "it must inevitably be carried on by fraud and violence." Viscount Palmerston hoped the Chinese Government would share this view, otherwise he feared trouble would arise through collisions with the Chinese preventive service.

Since Viscount Palmerston's day, however, the British Government's opium policy has undergone drastic change. In 1906 the opium opponents finally secured Parliament's assent for an agreement with China reducing the export from India one tenth annually, provided China reduced production *pari passu*, and at the end of 1917

the importation of opium ceased under the terms of this agreement. Hongkong's opium monopoly was not materially affected by these measures, and the drug is still imported here under Government supervision.

There are prospects now, however, that the opium trade may be entirely suppressed in Hongkong. One of the most notable features of the Geneva conference which has just concluded its labours, was the offer made by Britain to eradicate opium-smoking in her Far Eastern possessions within fifteen years of the date when China's efforts to suppress the cultivation of the poppy become effective enough to prevent smuggling into Hongkong. Although this offer was not accepted, China withdrawing from the conference, it still holds good and may be invoked at any time. China failed to respond to Britain's advance because she realized that it was impossible for her to carry out her part of the contract with the country largely in the hands of the militarists. Therefore as soon as a strong central government is established we may confidently look forward to seeing the cultivation of the poppy entirely suppressed and the trade finally disappearing in Hongkong. How soon China will get a stable central government, however, is another question altogether, since the growing of the poppy is one of the chief incentives to provincial rebellion.

A Serious Strike.

According to the latest news from Shanghai the strike in the Japanese cotton mills has spread to two more establishments, and fresh disturbances have arisen. The trouble is regarded in Osaka as most serious, and spinners have passed a resolution urging the Japanese Government to take immediate steps with the Chinese Government to terminate the strike. It is understood that the chief cause of the strike is a demand on the part of the men for higher wages, and in

consequence of alleged ill-treatment. It is passing strange, however, that, unlike most industrial troubles, the employers have been kept in ignorance of the real causes of the strike. Where thousands of hands are employed, individual grievances are bound to crop up fairly regularly; but there had been no sign of organised unrest immediately prior to the present trouble. A number of men was dismissed in the general interests of discipline, but none was dismissed from the mills, in which the dispute originated. As for the alleged ill-treatment of employees the general manager of the Naigai Wata Kaisha has stated that this was precisely one of the matters in which special care was taken to safeguard the worker. The most rigid rules existed against any sort of abuse by foremen and overseers, and the greatest care was exercised in investigating any grievance which came to the notice of the management. The manager has heard nothing about the real cause of the trouble beyond what has been published in pamphlets and the Press, but it has expressed its readiness to discuss the matter in a reasonable manner with any definite body appointed on behalf of the strikers.

Air Expansion.

The Royal Air Force Estimates have been increased but not on such liberal lines as many advocates of the air arm predicted some time ago. It is true that the personnel is to be increased by a thousand, involving increased pay of £471,000; and it is equally true that the Admiralty vote for the air branch of the Fleet is £1,320,000, making an effective net increase of £1,972,000, which should satisfy the critics. Flying does not raise partisan issues, as was pointed out a few months ago by Sir Samuel Hoare in his capacity of Air Minister. In the future he hoped that there would be no sudden changes as there had been in the past—for example, the sudden change from a large air force to one not large enough for British needs and the sudden cessation of airship activities. The expansion programme for home defence is a programme under which in the course of a few years 52 squadrons are to be formed in Britain for home defence. The strength of the R.A.F. at present is equivalent to 54 squadrons, including 25 1/3 at the Home bases, eight at Iraq, six in India, and 4 1/3 in Egypt and Palestine. During this year it is hoped that five non-regular squadrons will be raised, and it is believed that the Territorial Associations of the City and County of London will lead the way in raising "auxiliary" squadrons. The ambition of the Air Ministry is to establish an aeroplane route from Britain to India and Australia, as well as the airship service. The Air Ministry has already placed orders for two aeroplanes with three engines each, suitable for flying in the East. One order went to the Armstrong firm and the other to H. G. Hawker & Co., Ltd. Bombay and Melbourne have been mentioned as possible bases in India and Australia, but the enterprise is a big one and no risks must be run.

"THREE ARTS" CLUB.

PRIVATE NAVAL DANCE AT R. E. THEATRE.

The "Three Arts" Club of H.M.S. "Hawkins," which takes its name from the fact that it is a social organisation of the Artificers of the Engine Room, Electrical and Ordnance Departments of that ship, held a private dance last evening at the R. E. Theatre.

This, the first effort of a similar nature ever held in the Colony, was intended to mark the appreciation of the Naval men for the kindnesses of the many friends they have made here. The affair was very successful in that all who had the privilege of attending were more than satisfied with this very typical reciprocation.

The entire arrangements were in the hands of C. E. R. A. Horspool, whose efforts were ably seconded by a committee of his colleagues. The evening closed with the singing of Anid Lang Syne and wishes for a good trip and a speedy return.

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RENT PROFITEERING.

(To the Editor of the China Mail.)

Sir,—Having read of the petition proposed to be forwarded by the Tenants' Protection Association to the Governor in Council, I should like to draw the attention of your readers to one or two facts that at present seem to have been inadequately represented.

In the first place it is quite untrue, as has often been stated, that the Rent Ordinances protect the coolie class. The only class who benefit by them, in the long run, are the protected principal tenants who, in most cases, are profiteers of the worst description. If the protection of the Ordinance were removed, the landlords themselves would be satisfied with a good deal less than the actual rents paid by the sub-tenants, provided they received these rents themselves, and the profiteering principal tenants were removed. To take a typical instance. There is a shop in Queen's Road West, let before 1920 at \$160 a month rent. The tenant has now retired from trade and sublet the same premises for \$400 a month, living on his profit instead of carrying on his business. This is an actual case, and I can give particulars if required. If the protection of the Rents Ordinance were removed, the landlord would be able to get rid of the profiteering principal tenant, and would be quite satisfied with a rent of \$300 per month from the "protected" sub-tenant.

This sort of thing is going on all over the Colony, the poorer coolie class being fleeced most of all, as they cannot afford to be the first tenants and owing to the monopoly created for the principal tenants, who are not the owners of the property, have never spent a dollar on it or taken any risk in connection with it, the actual owners receive a quite inadequate return on their capital, and the poorest class of all are fleeced unmercifully. These facts are well-known to the Tenants' Protection Association, which everybody knows might with better advantage designate itself, the "Principal Tenants' Protection Association, and I suggest that if the Secretary of Chinese Affairs were to examine closely the position in life of those who may sign this much vaunted petition it would be discovered that quite 80 per cent. of the signatories are themselves the landlords of sub-tenants, and making a profit from the protection afforded them by the Rent Ordinance, just as it is common knowledge that in nearly every case before the Courts in which the landlords were seeking possession, the tenants strenuously resisted, the resistance being engineered and financed by principal tenants who were making a profit out of the premises.

If any form of rent restriction is to remain, I would most strongly urge that profiteering from sub-tenants should be rigorously forbidden, and landlords who reasonably require possession of their premises for their own use should be allowed to recover possession.

Yours truly,

SUB-TENANT.

HONGKONG, February 19, 1925.

ARMED ROBBERY.

DARING AFFAIR IN BROAD DAYLIGHT.

SUCCESSFUL RUSE.

An armed robbery was carried out by six men at the premises of the Tsang Foo Coal merchants on the first floor of No. 48, Des Voeux Road Central, yesterday afternoon. The men entered the premises on the pretence of being sent to search for arms, and suddenly whipped out pistols. All the inmates were bound and gagged. The occupants of the ground floor, when they became aware that there were armed robbers on the first floor, blew police whistles. The robbers, who had partly succeeded in their purpose and secured money and jewellery amounting to about \$600, then made a hurried exit.

GUNNER CHARGED.

REMAIND GRANTED BY MAGISTRATE.

The case in which a gunner of the R.G.A. was charged with an alleged attempt to obtain money by pretending to be a military doctor and with unlawfully practising surgery, was again before Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Kowloon Magistracy to-day, when an adjournment was made until Tuesday next.

Mr. Wadson has been retained for the defence. Falling into a nullah with his machine at Homunth yesterday, a Chinese cyclist sustained several injuries and had to be taken to the Kwong Wah Hospital.

DRUG EVIL.

GENEVA'S "POWERFUL BLOW."

AMERICA'S SUPREME IMPETUS.

(Reuter's Service.)

Geneva, February 19.

The President of the Conference, M. Zahle, said that the Conference had not made any claim to complete success. On the contrary it recognised that it had left unsolved questions which could not be solved for years, possibly decades.

The Conference had, however, struck a very powerful blow at the drug evil and greatly strengthened the Hague convention.

M. Zahle regretted the withdrawal of the United States delegation, which by its boldness and devotion, had given the supreme impetus to the whole anti-drug campaign.

M. Zahle agreed with Mr. Porter's statement that the drug problem could only be solved by international co-operation. Other speakers, including Sir Malcolm Delevigne (Britain), and Mr. Sugimura (Japan) paid a warm tribute to the officials of the League and to M. Zahle's patience and impartiality.

Geneva, February 19.

Ten States, including Britain, Japan, the Netherlands and Siam, have signed the convention protocol for the control of the international traffic in drugs.

The documents remain open for signature till September 30.

[Yesterday's session of the second Opium Conference closed with an excellent speech delivered by M. Zahle, reviewing the labours of the Conference and the results obtained. The Convention was signed yesterday afternoon. Sir Malcolm Delevigne announced that he would sign on behalf of Britain, but the signature would not bind the Dominions, who were members of the League.]

NEW ARMS PACT.

FURTHER DISCUSSION POSTPONED.

(Reuter's Service.)

LONDON, February 19.

In the House of Commons, Commander Kenworthy (Liberal) asked whether the disarmament conference had been abandoned or only postponed.

Mr. Austen Chamberlain, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, replied that all discussions of matters arising out of the Geneva protocol which were to have been considered in Rome, had been postponed until March with a corresponding postponement of all the subsequent dates.

Commander Kenworthy: There is therefore a chance of holding the disarmament conference in September?

Mr. Chamberlain: The position is that each item in the programme has been postponed for three months.

[An earlier cable from Washington reads: That progress is being made with the idea of a Disarmament Conference is shown in an authoritative statement that preliminary negotiations proceeding in London, Tokio and Rome met with favourable reception, and the success of the project appears to rest with the attitude of Paris. It is emphasised, however, that land armaments are not involved, as America holds these to concern the political and economic problem of Europe, and therefore, any move must originate from Europe, but Washington was anxious to curb the competitive building of smaller naval craft.]

CHINESE AFFAIRS.

(Courtesy of Daily Bulletin.)

PEKING, February 19.

Tuan Chi-jui attended the meeting of the Reorganisation Conference this afternoon.

Addressing the Conference, which was attended by 109 delegates, Tuan Chi-jui said he hoped that the readjustment of the military system would be carried out. The Conference decided to defer discussion of the military rehabilitation proposals pending the introduction of a Bill by the War Minister, and proceeded to consider plans for calling the National Conference.

MONGOLIA.

(By Courtesy of "Daily Bulletin.")

TOKIO, February 19.

The veteran business man, Baron Okura, plans a trip to Mongolia early in April, for the purpose of investigating the possibility of further agricultural developments there, for which a Mongolian Prince is offering land, Baron Okura supplying the capital. Baron Okura, who in view of his advanced age will be largely attended on his journey by a party, has arranged, with Chang Tso-lin for an armed escort against a possible attack by bandits.

MORE STRIKE RIOTS. SHANGHAI SHOOTING INCIDENTS. POLICE STATION STORMED.

Over Thirty-Thousand Workers Out.

The strike of Chinese employed in Japanese cotton mills at Shanghai took another very alarming turn yesterday.

SHOTS AT CROWD.

(Reuter's Service.)

SHANGHAI, February 19.

The Chinese police in conjunction with the Settlement police broke up a meeting of strikers on the border of the Settlement.

Sixteen were arrested, whereupon the crowd stormed the Chinese police station.

They were dispersed by the Chinese police, who opened fire. There were no casualties. There are now 30,800 workers on strike, involving 22 Japanese factories.

NOBODY INJURED.

(Reuter's Service.)

SHANGHAI, February 20.

An official statement issued today states that six Japanese cotton mills, comprising 22 factories, are affected by the strike, which involves 30,800 operatives.

Native police, in conjunction with Settlement police, broke up a meeting of the strikers at the border of the Settlement and arrested sixteen agitators.

The crowd then stormed the Chinese police station, but were dispersed by the native police firing three volleys.

Nobody was injured.

[An earlier cable from Shanghai stated that the strike has spread to two more establishments, but there have been no further disturbances. A cable from Osaka says that the strike is regarded as most serious in that city. Spinners have passed a resolution, urging the Japanese Government to take immediate steps with the Chinese Government to terminate the strike.]

SUNDAY'S RIOTS.

The Japanese cotton mills' strike took a more serious turn on Sunday evening, when a number of agitators turned their attention to the Toyoda Cotton Spinning, and Weaving Co.'s mill in Jessfield Road, near the railway crossing. This mill has nearly 5,000 employees, working in day and night shifts, and trouble began shortly after the night workers had gone in on Sunday evening.

A gang of men congregating in Jessfield village went to the mill with the intention of persuading or compelling the employees to stop work. The mill of course being closed against them, they at once set about climbing the walls and so gained admittance.

A number of them made a rush for the nearest carding room, and while some began to tamper with the machinery, others ran on to various departments of the mill and called upon the employees to join the strikers. In a few minutes, the entire mill was brought into great confusion and all work ceased. Bobbins, shuttles and skeins of yarn were torn from the machines, and a number of windows and electric light bulbs were smashed.

An urgent telephone call had been put in at Bubbling Well Police Station, and Det-Sgt. McGregor and several other officers were rushed to the scene, and on arrival found a crowd of some 700 men and women outside the mill gates, exhibiting signs of great restlessness. One of the first incidents observed on entering was a small boy hammering away at a carding machine.

SHOTS BY CHAPEL POLICE.

With the assistance of the Japanese overseers, the police were able to appease the mob and persuade them to leave the mill, at the gates of which a great crowd now congregated. Still more unfortunate incidents almost immediately followed. The mill being just outside Settlement limits, members of the Chapel police had appeared on the scene to assist in restoring order, but the senseless behaviour of some of them was actually the cause of a more serious riot. Just as the Municipal Police and the mill staff were shepherding the excited crowd of the mill, two shots were fired by Chapel police within the mill. Four more shots followed at a brief interval, and the crowd outside, supposing that the shots had been fired by members of the Japanese staff, attempted to rush the gates once more.

MANAGER THROWN INTO CREEK. At this juncture, there drove up a motor car bringing the assistant manager of the mill, the mill doctor, and four or five Japanese employees, and immediately the car pulled up, the crowd, now infuriated at the thought of having been fired upon, made a rush for it. The Japanese had to defend themselves from a heavy onslaught, and all of them received more or less serious injury. One shot was fired, and the bullet struck one of

the Japanese clerks in the chest, piercing his right lung. The assistant manager was beaten about the head with sticks and finally thrown into the Soochow Creek, whence he was rescued by a boatman and taken into safety on the Chapel side. Other members of the party were badly knocked about, and all had to be removed to hospital. The wounded clerk was attended to by Dr. Shinozaki, and his condition was so serious that it was impossible to move him to hospital, accommodation being made for him in one of the ill offices. The motor car was partially wrecked.

POLICE MOTOR CAR JETTISONED. In the meantime, part of the crowd occupied themselves in throwing stones at the mill windows, and this assault was answered by the Chapel police with more rifle fire, without causing any casualties, so far as can be ascertained.

The motor car in which the police drove up to the mill next claimed the attention of the rioters, and without more ado was heaved into the creek, whence later it was hauled out again practically undamaged.

Nine arrests were made, all the prisoners being men caught in the act of breaking up machinery in the mill. With their removal, the excitement, which put the whole neighbourhood into an uproar for about an hour, died down. The nine men appeared at the Mixed Court later and were remanded for a further appearance before the Japanese Assessor.

JAPAN WATCHING.

(By Courtesy of the Daily Bulletin.)

TOKIO, February 19.

In the Upper House, this morning, Mr. Raito Fujiyama, Chairman of the Chamber of Commerce, drew attention to the strike situation in Shanghai, to which Baron Shidehara replied that the Government were very closely watching, and that they had already drawn the attention of the Chinese Government to the situation.

The Asahi, in the course of a leading article, warns against any high-handed policy, but recommends dealing with the situation calmly, and Chinese Chambers of Commerce in Shanghai should mediate.

FLEET OF SHIPS.

CANADIAN GOVERNMENT'S VENTURE.

FIGHTING THE COMBINES.

(Reuter's American Service.)

OTTAWA, February 19.

The text of an agreement was tabled in the House of Commons between Sir William Patterson and the Government providing for a fleet of ten ships for the Canadian Atlantic service under Government control of rates in consideration of an annual subsidy of £275,000.

The agreement provides for a 10-years contract. The preamble recites that the Government has been receiving continuous representations respecting ocean transportation difficulties and the uncertainty of rates indiscriminately imposed on exported Canadian goods and shipping by combines. These rates also affect imports. The Government has accordingly resolved to adopt means to prevent unreasonable overcharge.

The new ships must be operating within eighteen months. Meanwhile six substitute ships will begin operations on June 15. The company must carry immigrants at rates fixed by the Government, and must carry Canadian mails free on the inauguration of the passenger service. The Government is entitled to enter into a similar contract with other companies.

MODEL WARSHIP.

(By Courtesy of Daily Bulletin.)

TOKIO, February 19.

The model of the warship Ikuki, for presentation to the Australian Government, has been completed, and will be handed over to the Navy Department shortly for despatch to Australia.

Paris, February 19.—The Government will present to-day to the Chamber the Financial Bill, encouraging quick payment of direct taxes, the creation of a Central Office to redeem certain classes of Treasury bonds, the setting up of machinery to simplify and accelerate the transfer of bearer securities, and instituting a new type of stocks and bonds, capable of easy transfer by mere endorsement.—Havas.

STEAMER SEIZED.

UNITED STATES FLAG FLOATED.

MASTER DETAINED.

AMERICAN AUTHORITIES TAKING ACTION.

(Reuter's Service.)

SHANGHAI, February 20.

A message from Hankow states that the steamer mentioned in the Ichang telegram is the "Chichuen," of C. R. Cox and Co.

The master is Captain Hawley, an American citizen.

The local United States authorities are demanding the immediate release of both the steamer and the master.

[An earlier cable from Ichang stated that an American steamer had been held by the Kwelchowfu militarists. The captain had been arrested and the American passengers were being detained.]

SLOW BUT SURE.

THE KING MAKES GOOD PROGRESS.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, February 19.

A bulletin issued at 9.30 this morning stated that His Majesty experienced a better night's progress, though slow, is satisfactory. No further announcement will be made to-day.

PACIFIC FEARS.

AMERICA'S INADEQUATE AIR POWER.

HAWAII'S DEFENCES.

(Reuter's American Service.)

WASHINGTON, February 19.

In the House of Representatives, speaking before the Aircraft Committee, Brigadier Mitchell arraigned the inadequacy of American air power, asserting the defences of the Hawaiian islands are as obsolete as bows and arrows.

Japan, he said, could easily capture the Philippines and Hawaii.

The latter could not hold on more than three weeks.

The committee, after hearing the evidence, unanimously resolved to favour the recalling of the War Secretary, Mr. Weeks, to question him further.

[During a discussion in the aircraft committee of the House of Representatives, the Democrat, Mr. McNitt, charged certain high Navy Department officials with deliberately trying to mislead the American people as regards the facts concerning the bombing of the battleship "Washington." Several weeks ago, Mr. McNitt charged the Navy with using sand-loaded bombs in the attack, and later he asserted that he had been informed from the Navy Department that no explosive bombs were used, but that they had permitted a contrary impression to go out "to lead Americans to believe that the Washington could not be sunk by air."]

LURE OF OIL.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, February 19.

The "Morning Post's" Rome correspondent, in connection with the Albanian oilfields, learns from a trustworthy source that Italy, as a solution, advances the plea of necessity of oil fuel, but recognises that Britain, through the Anglo-Persian Company, has secured oil from the source best situated, geographically, economically and politically, for Italy's needs. Italy, therefore, proposes to share with Britain the use of the Albanian oilfields. In return for this privilege, Italy will grant the Anglo-Persian Company those rights for exploitation of oil on Italian soil, which was granted the Sinclair concern and cancelled as between the Italian Government and the Sinclair corporation last month by mutual consent.—Reuter.

Riga, February 19.—It is reported from Moscow that the Vladivostok Executive Communist International has despatched to America a quantity of antiques and valuables, which has been stored in the premises of the Siberian revolutionary committee since the days of the general confiscation of property of the Imperial family and bourgeoisie. The money derived from the sale of goods goes to the Far Eastern section of the Communist International for use in assisting the revolutionary movement in China, Korea, Japan and other countries.—Reuter.

Rome, February 19.—It is reported that the Italian Commercial Bank has bought for five hundred million lire a portion of the Russian crown jewels, which the Moscow Government sent to Paris for sale.—Reuter.

DRUNKEN CAROUSAL.

LIQUOR STEAMER LOOTED.

REVENUE OFFICERS' ORGY.

"Broken Cases of Liquor Everywhere."

Sensational charges have been made against revenue officers in connection with the seizure of a British schooner.

"LIKE A DUMP."

(Reuter's American Service.)

Boston, February 19.

Members of the crew of the "Marjorie Bachman," mentioned earlier, deposed in the Federal Court that the prize crew from the revenue cutter "Tampa" looted the "Bachman" after seizure and held a drunken carousal on board.

The "Bachman's" mate said he

[An earlier cable from Boston stated that there was an interesting revelation in the course of the hearing of a petition for the forfeiture of the British schooner "Marjorie Bachman" and her cargo of liquors seized by the prohibition agents last October to the effect that the boarding party used the swiftest motor boat available in order to reach the schooner, which was lying at least 25 miles out, within an hour of the limit laid down by the recent

HOW DRY LAW OFFICERS WORK.



This photograph shows dry law officers ramming a motor boat which was bringing liquor ashore from a schooner anchored outside the 12-mile limit.

was imprisoned aboard the "Tampa" for 52 hours.

When he returned to the "Bachman" later she "looked like a dump. There were broken cases or liquor everywhere."

The "Bachman's" mate added that much of his private property was stolen.

British-American Treaty. A revenue agent admitted that the voyage took four hours, owing to enforced stops. Judge Morton declared that the seizure was "an action showing lack of good faith on the part of the Government toward a friendly Foreign Power."

RENTS DISPUTE.

CLYDEBANK EVICTIONS SUSPENDED.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, February 19.

The Clydebank factors have decided to suspend evictions during the sitting of the Rents Commission in order to preserve a peaceful atmosphere, on condition that the Housing Association and other tenants' organisations cease their activities, including street and other meetings and the distribution of circulars in connection with the dispute.

[Yesterday's cables stated that the situation at Clydebank is again prominent as a result of several evictions which were carried out accompanied by some disturbance, and three arrests. The tenants have withdrawn their representatives from the Rents Commission on the ground of a breach of the understanding that there would be no evictions pending the Commission's report. The matter was raised in the House of Commons by Mr. Neil Maclean (Labour) who described the situation at Clydebank as a serious state of public disorder which might easily become a danger to life and property. Sir John Gilmour, Secretary for Scotland, replied that he had no doubt the authorities would guard against that contingency. He had no power to stop legal proceedings.]

FRANCE'S NEEDS.

ANOTHER LOAN FROM AMERICA.

(Reuter's Service.)

PARIS, February 19.

The Minister of Finance, M. Clementel, announced in the Chamber of Deputies that the Government intends to conclude a foreign loan after the Budget has been passed and the United States has already promised a loan of \$100,000,000.

A SPOKE IN THE WHEEL.

(Reuter's American Service.)

WASHINGTON, February 19.

In the House of Representatives Mr. Thomas Blanton introduced a resolution designed to prevent the flotation of a loan to France or any other nation that failed to reach agreement for funding its war debts.

The resolution also provided that the machinery of the Federal Reserve Board would be operated in enforcing the measure.

Ichang, February 19.—An American steamer has been held by the Kwelchowfu militarists. The captain has been arrested and the American passengers are detained.—Reuter.

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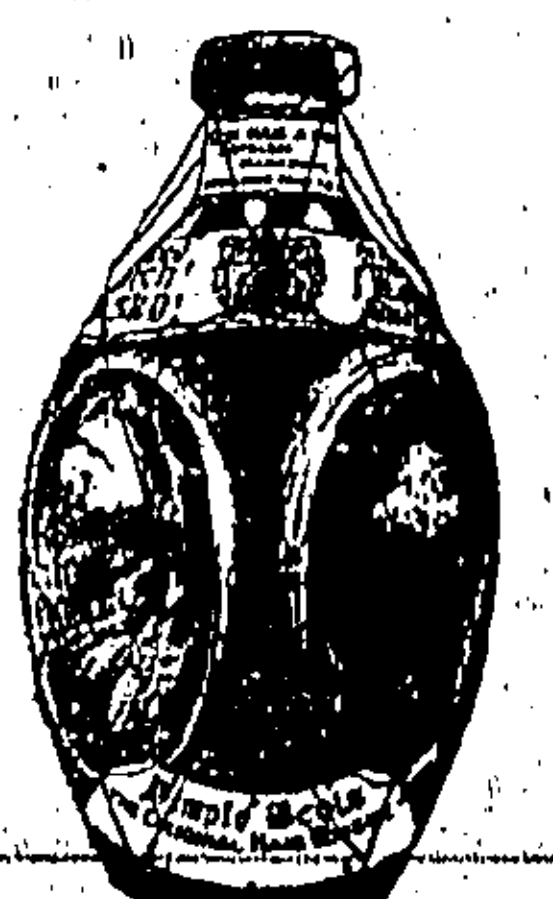
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Coming Events Advertised
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ENTERTAINMENTS.

February 20.—Coronet Theatre.
"Grumpy"
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Miss Refa Miller in "Dainty Songs";
also Tom Mix in "North of the
Yukon."
February 20.—World Theatre.
"Koenigsmarkt."
February 20.—Queen's Theatre.
"The Child Thou Gavest Me."
February 25, 26, and 28.—
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farce comedy, "French Leave,"
at Theatre Royal, 9.30 p.m.
February 27.—Theatre Royal.
"French Leave." Matinee only,
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SOCIAL.

February 20.—Annual hall of
members of the Institution of
Engineers and Shipbuilders, at
City Hall.
February 21.—Peak Club,
fortnightly dance, 9.15 p.m.
February 22.—Annual dinner
of members of St. David's Society,
Hongkong Hotel Roof Garden.

SPORT.

February 21.—Hongkong
Jockey Club Annual Race
Meetings.
February 25.—General meeting
of members of Kowloon Golf Club
at Kowloon British School, 6 p.m.
February 28.—Hongkong
Jockey Club's first Extra Race
Meeting.
March 2.—Hongkong Cricket
Club Tennis Tournament com-
mences.

LAND SALE.

February 23.—At P.W.D.
Offices, two lots of Crown land at
Samsui, 3 p.m.

PUBLIC AUCTIONS.

February 23.—Mr. A. G. da
Rocha at his Sales Room,
D'Aguiar Street, will auction
valuable leasehold property, 3
p.m.

February 24.—Lammert Bros.
at No. 16, Knutsford Terrace,
Kowloon, household furniture,
2.45 p.m.

February 25.—Lammert Bros.,
at Sales Room, miscellaneous
goods, 11 a.m.

February 26.—Lammert Bros.,
at No. 5, The Peak, household
furniture, etc., 2.45 p.m.

COMPANY MEETINGS.

February 21.—Yearly meeting
of shareholders of the H.K.
Shanghai Banking Co., Ltd.,
at City Hall, 11 a.m.

February 27.—Annual meeting
of H.K. Tramways, Ltd., at
Messrs. Jardine Matheson's,
noon.

March 3.—Thirty-eighth meet-
ing of shareholders of the Hong-
kong and Kowloon Wharf and
Godown Co., Ltd., at Messrs.
Jardine Matheson's Offices, noon.

March 3.—Thirty-sixth meet-
ing of members of Green Island
Cement Co., Ltd., St. George's
Building, Chater Road, 11 a.m.

OTHER MEETING.

February 24.—General meeting
of the Hongkong Benevolent
Society at St. John's Hall, noon.

FLOWER SHOW.

March 5.—Annual show of
flowers and vegetables at Volun-
teer Headquarters.

SERVICE.

February 22.—Confirmation
service in St. Andrew's Church,
Kowloon.

COLONY'S HEALTH.

Two cases of small-pox in
Kowloon were reported yesterday,
both patients being Chinese.

One case of diphtheria
(Chinese) occurred in Hongkong
in which there was also another
case of cerebro-spinal fever
(Chinese).

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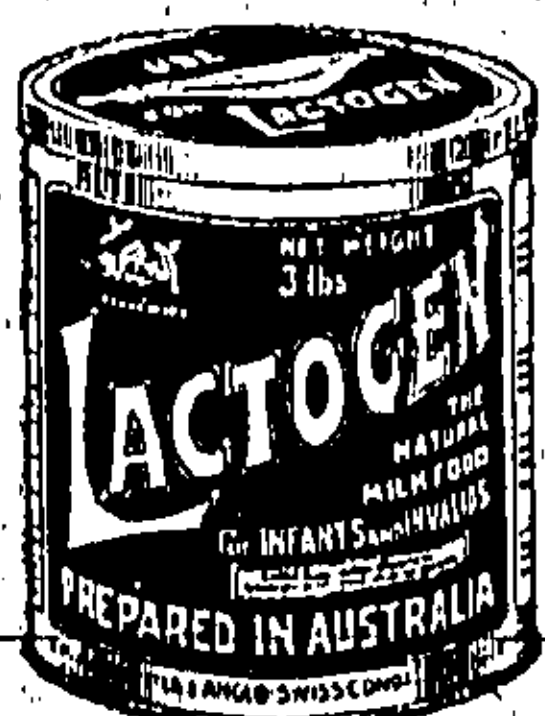
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LOCAL AND GENERAL.

All the aeroplanes brought south of the Great Wall by the Mukden forces in the war against the Chihli party are now reported to have been moved back to Manchuria.

To-morrow the American members of the Shamen community will be the hosts at a Ball to be held in the Canton Club theatre in commemoration of George Washington's birthday. A large number of guests are expected.

The decoration and general arrangements on board H.M.S. "Hawkins" for the Officers ball which was held last night are being retained for the ship's company dance which takes place this evening at 8.30 o'clock.

Repairs necessitated through striking a bad patch near Wuchow and being beached have been completed on the river steamer "Kwong Ying" and she left for Wuchow yesterday afternoon to resume her run.

A notice at the Harbour Office requires shipmasters proceeding to Canton with twenty coolies or less to obtain a permit from the Deputy Shipping Master and from the Harbour Master when there are more than twenty coolies. All coolies, cattle attendants, etc., are to be signed on the articles.

After being at large for six years following commission of murder in Manila, Kasima Kuto-Ko, alias Tagaki, who killed another Japanese on Calle Lardizabal on the night of October 17, 1919, was arrested by the constabulary officers in Lucena, Tayabas, recently and on February 12 turned over to the Manila secret service.

On her last trip from Hongkong to Autau, the steam-launch "Tak Hing" was "requisitioned" by Chan Kwing-ming's troops for use as a transport. The next day she was released. After taking on passengers for Hongkong she was stopped by four of Dr. Sun's men-of-war near the Sam Mun Customs Station and accused of assisting the enemy. She is now under detention and other launches plying to Autau are chary of going there.

A reminder may be given of the meeting of shareholders in the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation to-morrow at 11.30 a.m. in the City Hall.

Most of the workmen formerly employed in the Shanghai Arsenal are now being moved to Mukden for employment in the arsenal there. General Sun Chuan-fang, Tapan of Chekiang, is said to have removed a considerable quantity of the Shanghai Arsenal plant to Hangchow.

Paotachen will soon become a new commercial city to foreign trade in the North-West of China. A special representative of the Central Government is on his way to Chahar and Suiyuan for the purpose of taking the matter up with Marshal Feng Yu-hsiang and General Li Ming-chun, Tutung of Suiyuan.

Experiments have been tried in Perak in connection with laying planks of bridges on a bed of scrap rubber and it has been found to be most successful in reducing jolting and vibration.

Fengtien and other soldiers with a weakness for looting and thieving have another grim reminder of the punishment in store. In addition to a few decapitated heads hanging up in the Chinese city in Shanghai, the official executioner's gang now parades the principal streets from 6 p.m. onwards, carrying with them the tools of their office—two ugly-looking execution knives and a bamboo rod.

A freak in the form of a baby, boy with some protusions on the head, resembling horns of a goat has been discovered in Calle Constancia No. 515, Samalopol, to which a large crowd of curious lookers has been attracted during the last few days, says the "Philippines Herald" of February 12. The child died a few hours after birth. The parents of the freak are Jose C. Zarate and Sixta Cenaz. This is the second case of this nature, the first having been registered at the Philippine General Hospital a year ago. It is stated that the so-called horns are not well-defined, being simply a slight enlargement on the head.

The Chinese Charge d'Affaires in Denmark, Hsu Chao-hung has wired the Foreign Office asking for funds which are badly needed. His position is worse than that of other Chinese representatives abroad, in that his Legation has no banks to fall back on for funds.

The newly appointed director of the Hunan Government Mining Bureau, Mr. Tseng Wang-chun, has issued a public announcement alleging that the former director, Mr. Ho Pei-yung, has embezzled sums almost amounting to one million dollars from his office.

It is a Chinese custom that during the first days of Spring the magistrates from the district cities and towns in a province should come to the provincial capital in order to pay congratulatory visits to their chief. With a view to avoiding this troublesome proceedings, says the Central China Post, Tapan Hsiao Yaonan has sent instructions throughout the province requesting the magistrates to dispense with these visits this year.

The return of wharfage dues for the quarter ending December 31, 1924, as received from the Chinese Maritime Customs, shows a total sum of Tls. 105,410.77 accruing to the Shanghai Municipal Council.

Arrivals in port on Sunday included the Japanese gunboat "Tsushima," from Shanghai, where she has been on patrol, since her last visit in January last year. She leaves for Formosa to-day.

Major Henry Keswick, member of the London committee of the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, and for many years in charge of Jardine, Matheson interests in Hongkong, in a recent letter to a London paper states that he was astounded when passing through the Panama Canal zone some time back, to observe the immunity from mosquitoes and other insects which was obtained, an immunity which since then appeared to have intensified. The London editor replied that information on the methods employed by the sanitary authorities could be gathered from the "Panama Canal Record" published by the Canal Commissioner.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Jean London Abbott, daughter of the late Jack London, novelist, on February 10, at Oakland, California, was granted a divorce from Park Abbott. Their difference arose over Jean's desire to retain the name "London" and to give her child that name.

Mr. Penman, one of the best-known Australian mining experts, is at present in Penang in connection with an important gold proposition in Kelantan.

The F. M. S. Government has granted a gratuity of £100 to the widow of Able Seaman Benger, of H.M.S. "Hood," who was drowned at Taiping during the visit of the Special Service Squadron to Malaya.

Paymaster Commander J. M. L. Cusack is now the Resident Naval Officer at Shanghai, in succession to Paymaster Commander E. T. M. Green, who has been at that base for three years. Paymaster Commander Cusack left the battleship "Valiant" in July last, and has since studied at the Secretaries' Course at Portsmouth.

Mr. G. P. Atkins, Manager of the Penang branch of Borneo Motors, Limited, is shortly leaving for Home on furlough, and will be accompanied by Mrs. Atkins. Mr. R. V. Patterson has arrived from Singapore to take over the management.

Mr. J. L. Lorie, of Messrs. Boustead and Co., is due back from leave at the end of February and will take over the management of the Penang branch from Mr. F. A. Pledger. Mr. Pledger will then proceed to Singapore to relieve Mr. Drummond, who is going Home on leave.

Dr. A. Picken, of Penang, will be going on leave in May or June.

M. Herriot, French Premier, and M. Clementel, Minister of Finance, are planning a journey to London, to settle the French war debt problem in personal deliberations with the British statesmen shortly.

It is learned from a reliable source that Marshal Wu Pei-fu, regretting that there have arisen various rumours and misunderstandings as to his presence in Hupoh, is now desirous to move to Lushan, where he intends to lead a quiet life in the future. However, it seems impossible for him to do so as long as he keeps his followers about him.

Mr. Howard Ashton, associate editor of the Sun, Sydney, has arrived in Singapore from Australia, and will be remaining there for about a fortnight.

Sir Gould May, the well-known London surgeon, is on a short visit to Ceylon.

Mr. L. P. Ridgeway, of Shanghai, whose wedding takes place within a few days' time, was the recipient of a handsome presentation from the Committee of St. Patrick's Society to mark the occasion. It took the form of a piece of English silver plate engraved with the Society's harp as its crest. The President of St. Patrick's Society, Mr. L. M. Berrigan, in handing over the plate, made a felicitous reference to Mr. Ridgeway's work.

In the event of Mr. Yoshizawa being sent to Moscow as the first Japanese Ambassador, the Japanese Press believes that Mr. Debuchi, now Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs, may get the post of Minister to Peking. If, however, an Ambassador is appointed to China, Mr. Obata stands a good chance of returning to Peking. It is understood that the Russian Treaty will not be ratified by Japan until March.

Mr. Montgomery Reader Harris, solicitor, Shanghai, is a passenger by the P. and O. steamer "Kashmir" which arrived here yesterday. Mr. Harris formerly practised in Hongkong.

Mr. W. H. C. Robson, of Kowloon Dock, is proceeding on Home leave by the "Empress of Australia" leaving to-day.

The Hon. Mr. Chou-sun is indisposed and has been confined to his home for the last few days. He is improving, however, his many friends will be pleased to learn.

Mr. Herbert Goffe, C.M.G., British General at Hankow, arrived here by the s.s. "Kashmir" on his way Home.

The Rev. P. M. Scott, Church of England missionary in Peking, who was formerly Chaplain at the British Legation, is a passenger by the P. and O. steamer "Kashmir," now in port.

Mr. G. E. Stockley, student interpreter, has recently joined H.M. Consular Service in China, and is now connected with the British Legation at Peking.

The delegates to the International Conference at Singapore, convened under the auspices of the League of Nations, were entertained at dinner at the Singapore Club on February 7, by the Society of Medical Officers of Health of Malaya. On February 8, they paid a visit to the quarantine station at St. John's and were considerably impressed by what they saw in the course of the visit. On February 9, the delegates were the guests of Sir David Galloway at luncheon in the Europe Hotel.

Mr. Yeh Lan-pin, the newly appointed Superintendent of the Hankow Custom House, arrived in Hankow on February 6. A large number of local officials and gentry assembled on the wharf to welcome him. It appears that he will not take up the usually concurrent post of Commissioner for Foreign Affairs, his lack of knowledge of foreign languages having rendered it necessary to make another appointment for this post.

The marriage has taken place at St. George's Church, Penang, the Rev. K. J. Gibbs, of Messrs. Fraser and Neave, Kuala Lumpur, and Miss Mabel Hendrika McNamee, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McNamee.

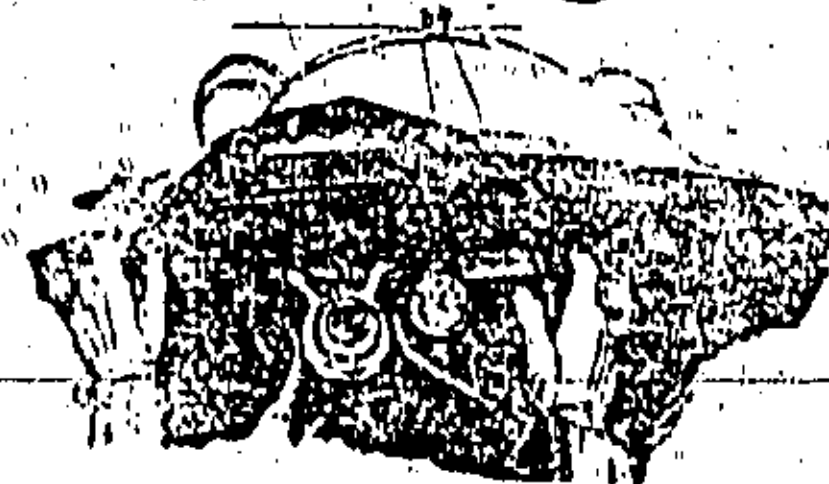
Notification of the appointment of Mr. N. F. Allman, local attorney, as honorary consul for Mexico was given in a letter from N. U. Comm. G. de Rossi, Consul General for Italy and Senior Consul to the Shanghai Municipal Council. The letter stated that it was desired that in future Mr. Allman be considered a member of the Consular Body.

The wedding of Mr. H. A. A. Howell, of the Middlesex Regiment Asst. Staff Officer Local Forces, and Miss Maud Mary Thompson took place at the Cathedral of the Good Shepherd, Singapore, last Saturday. Mr. Howell is the eldest son of Colonel H. A. T. Howell, C.M.G., and Mrs. Howell, of Greystone, Lincoln, and the bride is the only daughter of Colonel R. L. B. Thompson, C.M.G., D.S.O., and Mrs. Thompson, of West Kensington. Colonel Thompson, who was General Officer Commanding in Malaya prior to the arrival of Major-General Sir T. Fraser, is now attached to the War Office.

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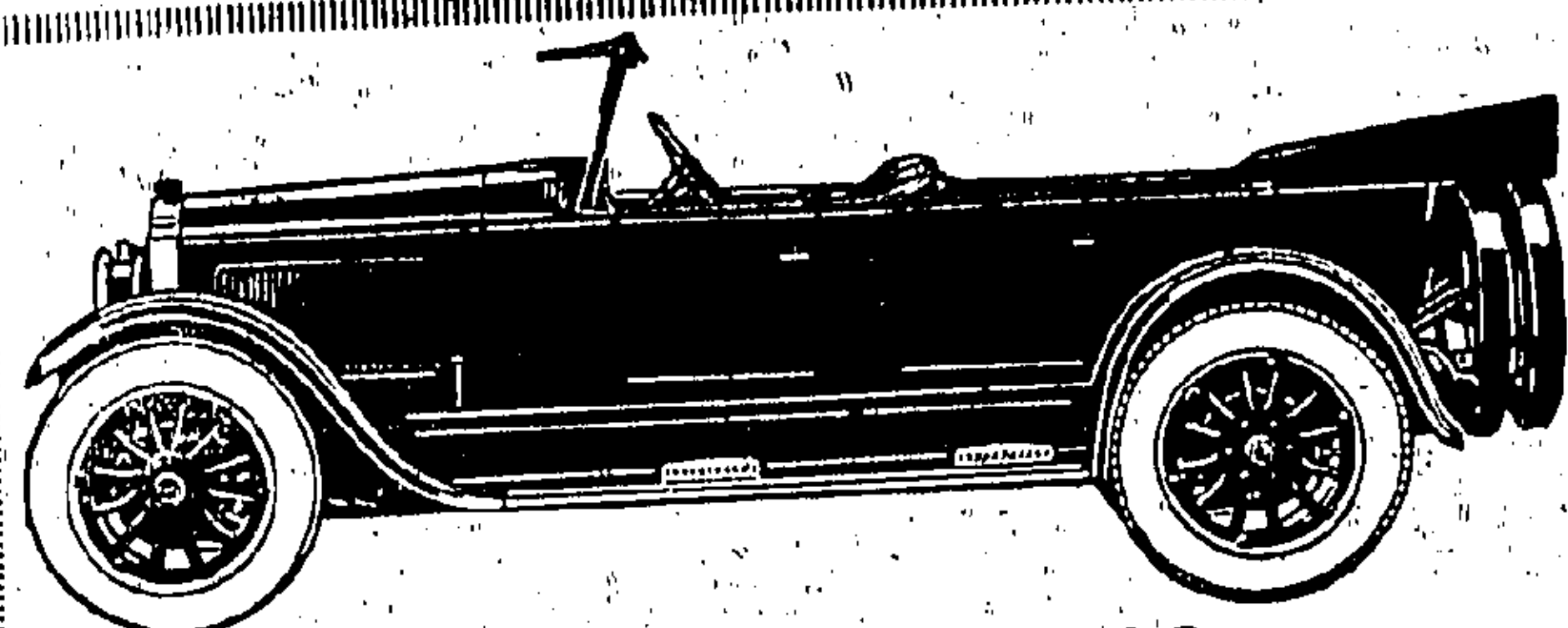
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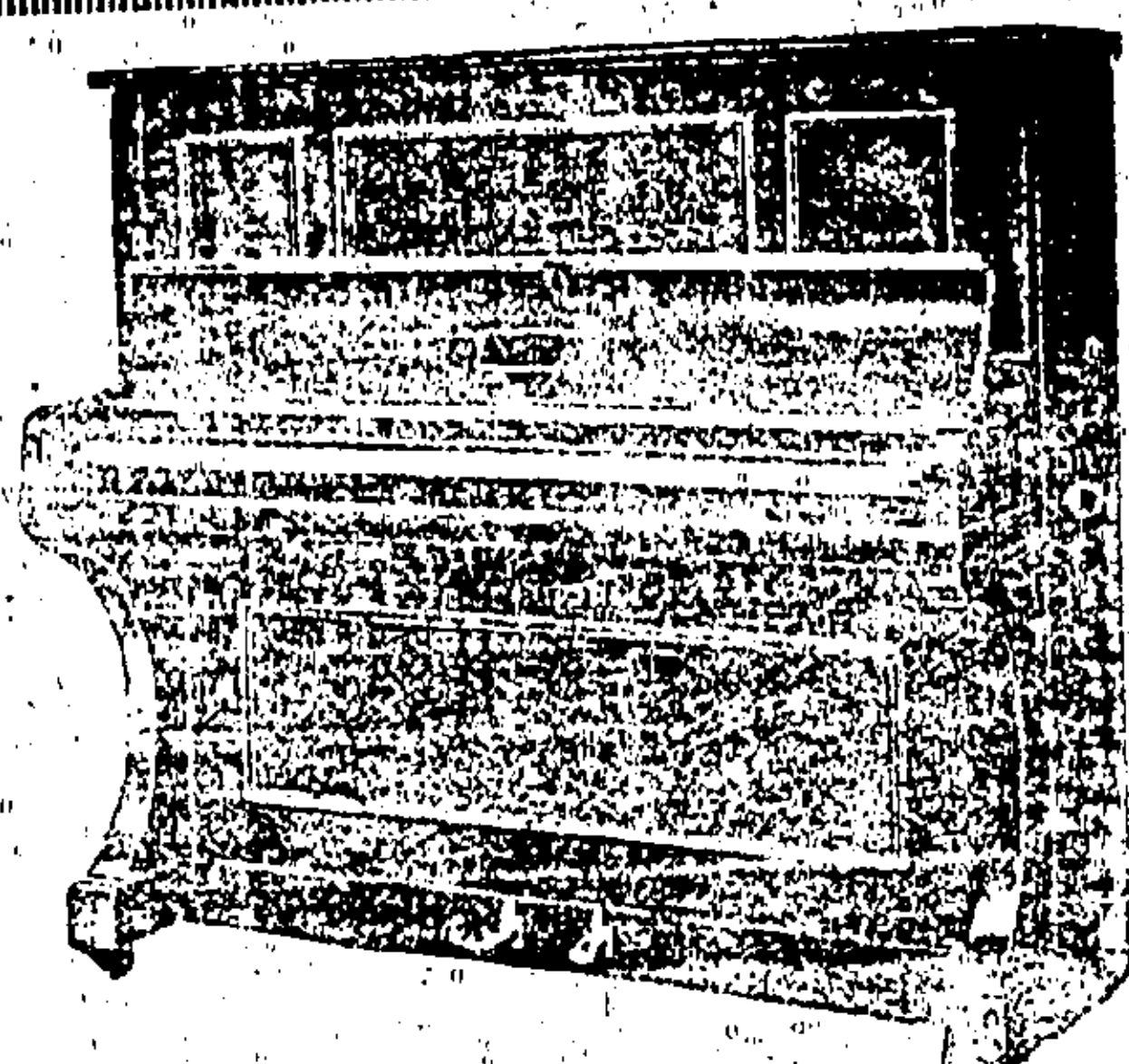
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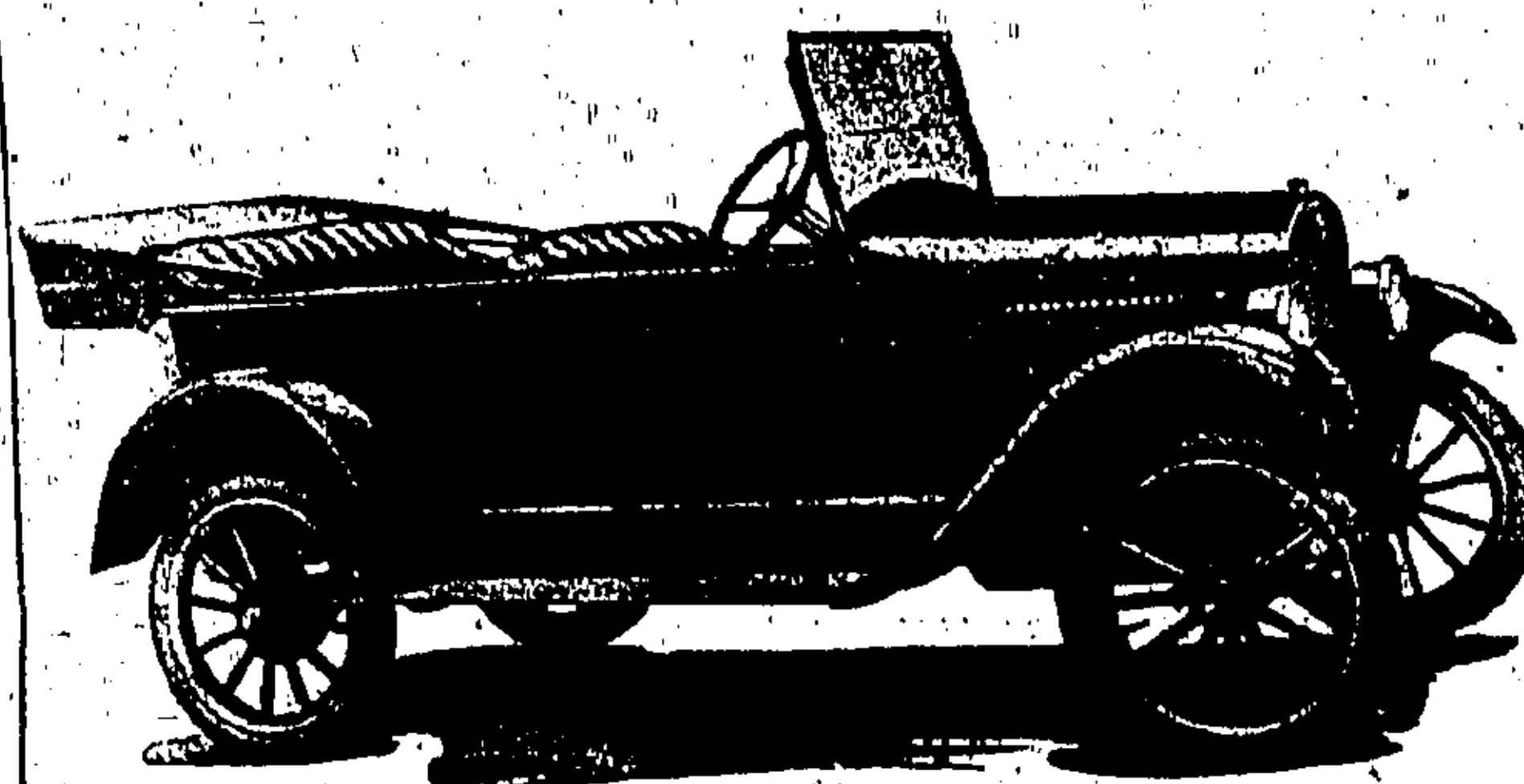
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Votes are given free and can be obtained by securing fully paid subscriptions to The China Mail or Sunday Herald.

Votes issued to one member cannot be transferred to another member.

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The Campaign is open to anyone anywhere. With the first subscription for \$36.00 you secure, you will be given the votes "on the First subscription coupon." You may use only one of these coupons during the entire campaign as no more will be counted for one member.

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All that is necessary to win one of the beautiful prizes is a desire for the prize, and the honour of winning it, and a willingness to devote a little time to calling on your friends and getting them to help you.

At the close of the Campaign the votes will be counted by judges appointed by the members themselves. Each member is requested to select some prominent person to act as a judge. The judges so appointed will take charge of the ballot box and carry it to a public place where the votes will be counted and the prizes awarded in full view of the public.

With a little effort and a few minutes' work each day one of these beautiful prizes may be yours. Take advantage of every special credit offer. Watch the stories that are published each day, as they will take up many interesting points regarding the Campaign.

Any questions or controversies that may arise are to be settled by the Campaign Manager and his decision shall be final and conclusive.

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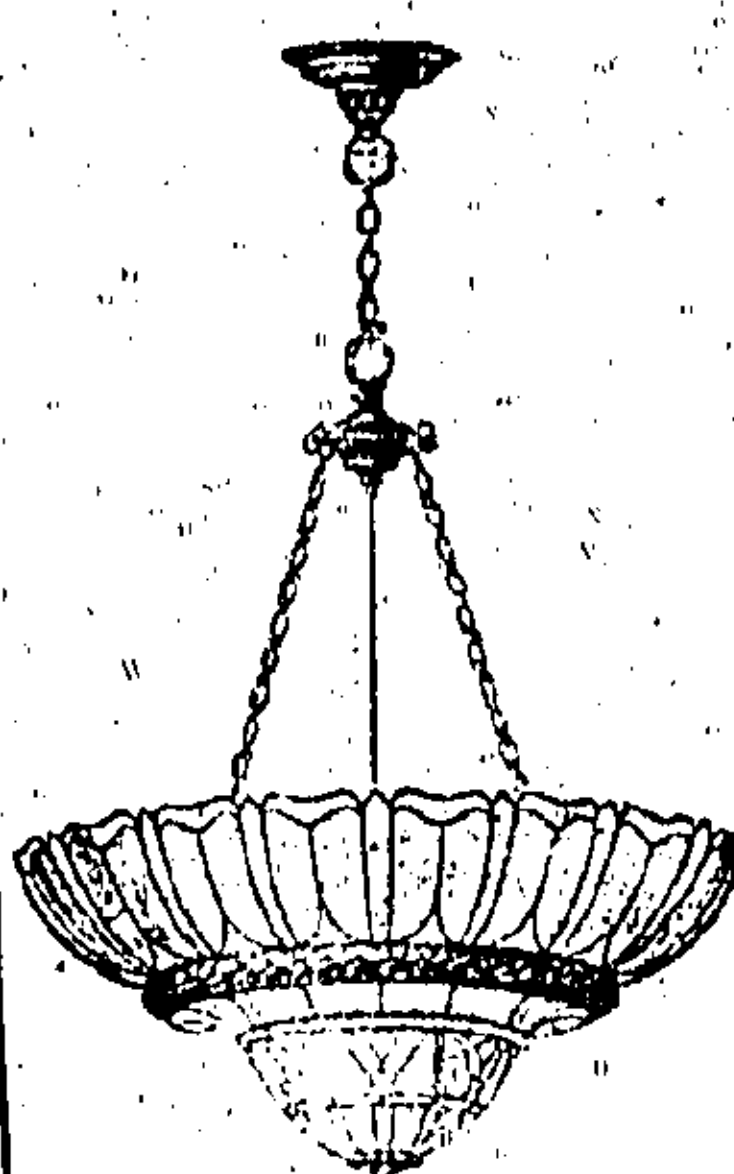
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Vacation trip for two people to Foochow and return on the special vacation cruise of the Douglas Steamship Co.

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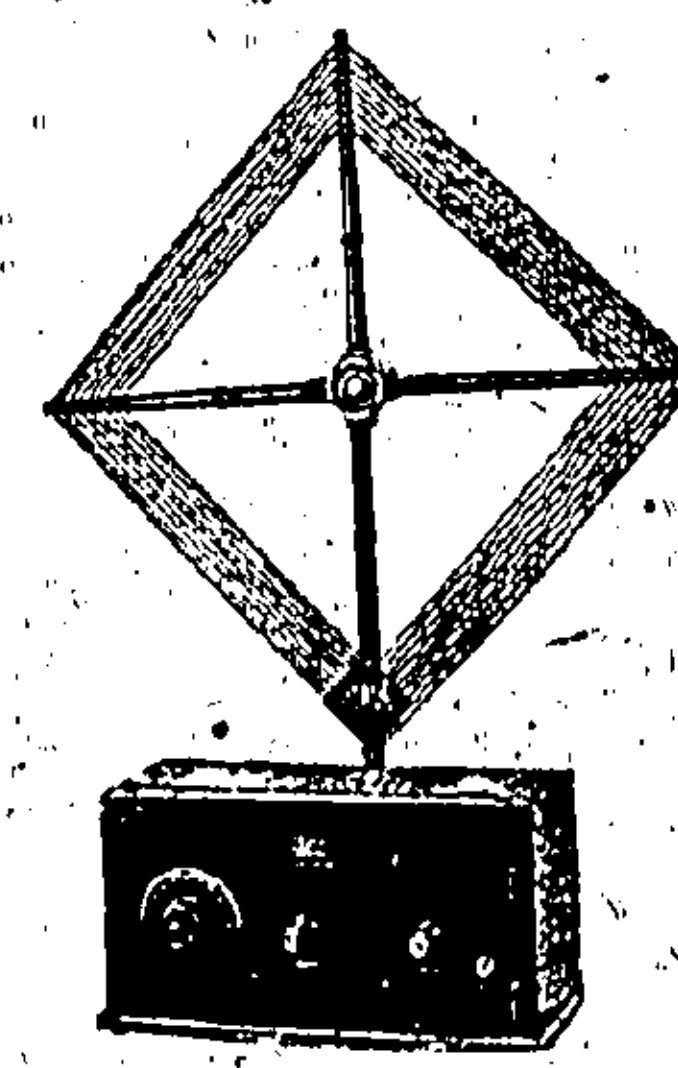
One Pathe-Baby motion picture machine complete with six films and cleaning outfit, purchased from the Pathe-Orient, 72, Queen's Road.

One Pair of \$60.00 No. 8 power German Binoculars purchased from, and on display at—N. Lazarus, 12, Queen's Road.

Ticket Book for two people to attend each programme for Three Months at the Coronet Theatre.

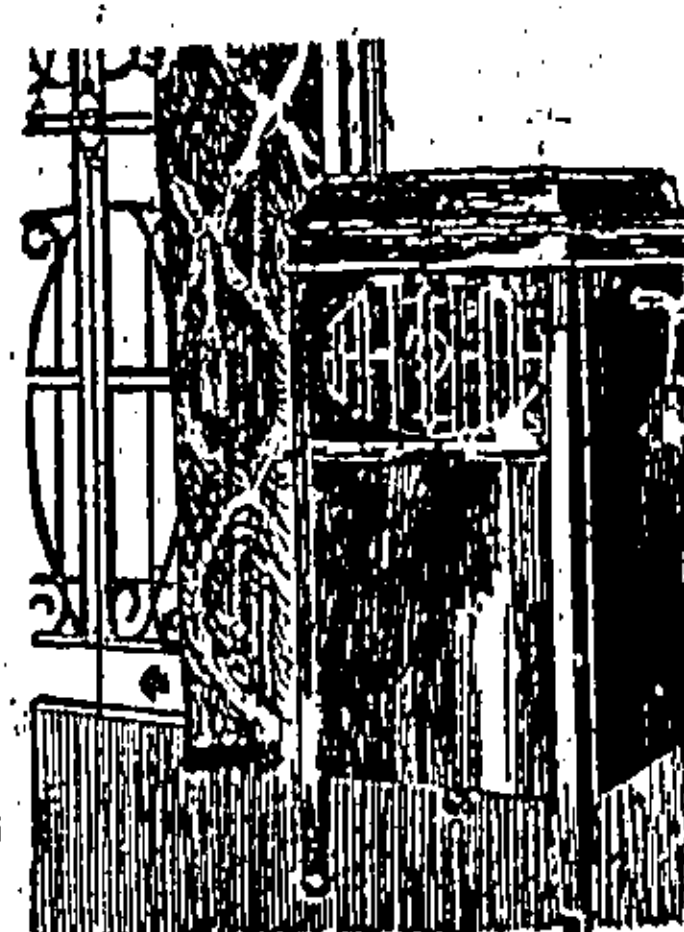
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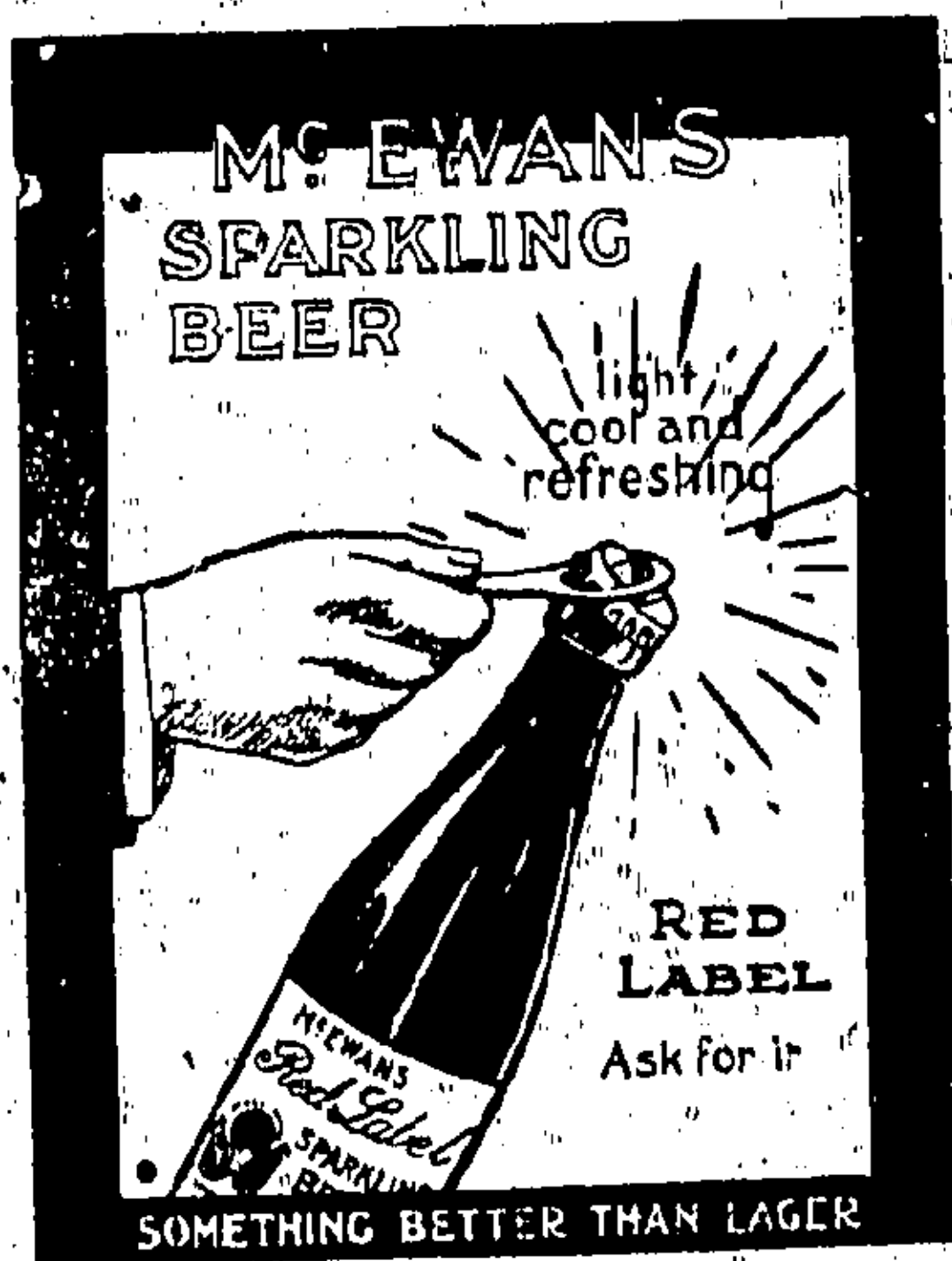
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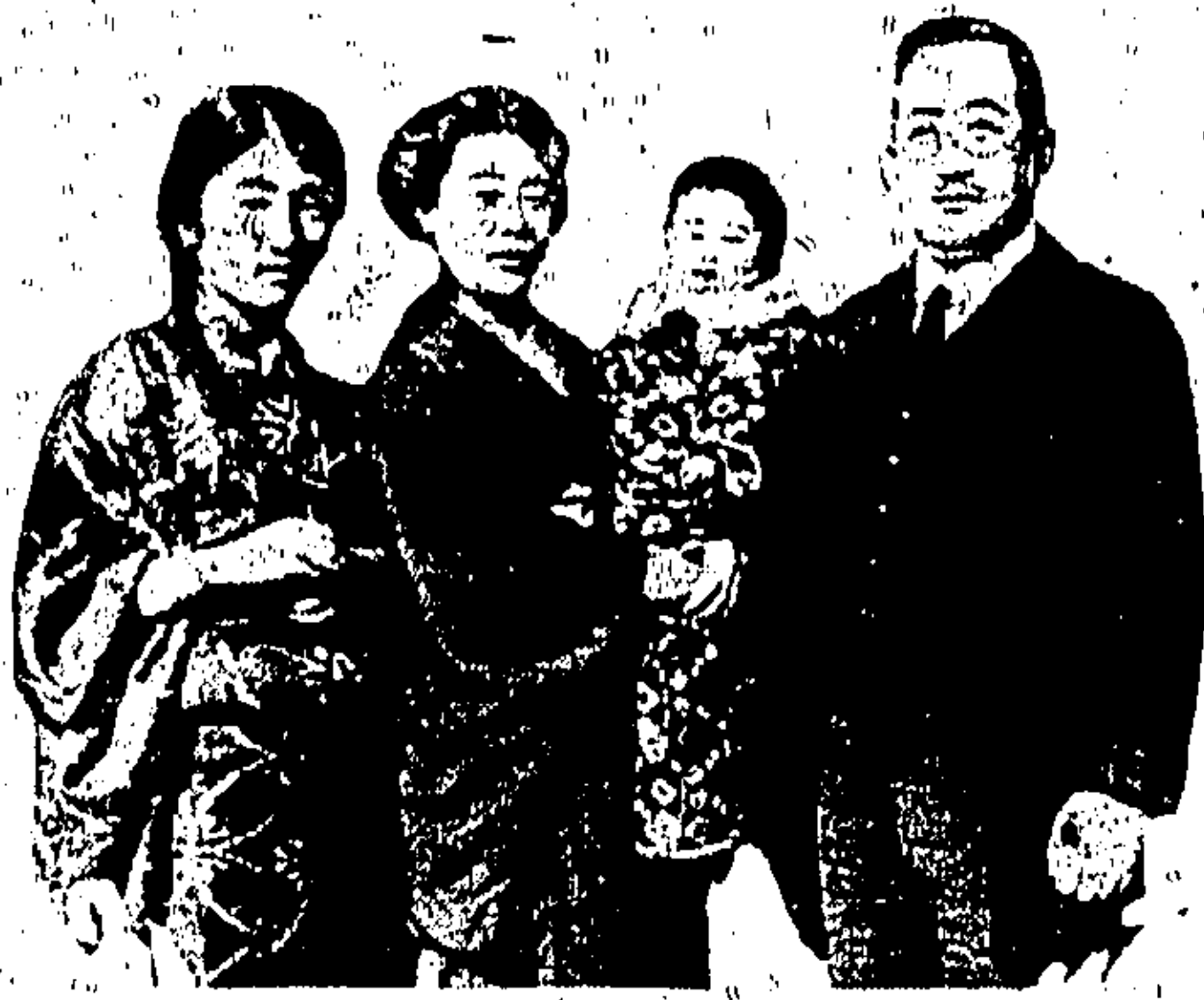


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Above is shown Mr. Tuneso Matsudaira, the newly-appointed Japanese Ambassador to the United States, with his wife and their two children in the garden of their home in Tokyo. Mrs. Matsudaira is a personal lady-in-waiting to the Japanese Empress and acts as English interpreter for Her Majesty.



PREMIER HERRIOT

Allied forces occupying Cologne, Germany, will not evacuate that district, as previously agreed; Premier Edouard Herriot, of France, has announced. The troops will remain because Germany has not fulfilled its obligations under the Versailles treaty, he declared.

TWO CHAMPIONS QUIT.



BENNY LEONARD JACK DEMPSEY

Benny Leonard, lightweight champion of the world, apparently unable longer to make the weight, has announced that he has retired from the ring and that he will never fight again. At the same time, Jack Dempsey, world's champion heavyweight, announces that he expects to marry Estelle Taylor, screen actress in June, and that he will then retire from the prize ring.

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Maxine Elliott, noted stage star, was saved from drowning in the ocean by Thomas Chubb, a powerful swimmer, who plunged into the surf after her when she was being carried out to sea by a heavy under tow. Miss Elliott was unconscious for forty minutes before being revived.

ATTACK AT "GIN PARTY."



The story told by Miss Henrietta Hammond of a wild party in a Montclair, Presbyterian parsonage, where she said she had her first drink of gin, resulted in the conviction of Philip Wylie, University graduate and preacher's son, on the charge of attacking her. The story was denied by Wylie, who has appealed.

Auvergne Queen



Miss Galtier has been chosen as the 1925 Queen of Auvergne, an annual ceremony of much importance in Auvergne, Central France. The winner presides over the girls of the village at the Art Exposition to be held later in the year.

ALLEGED FORCED MARRIAGE.



Below: MISS MAY NASH & DR. JOHN LOCKE

Keith Boehm, 19-year-old high school boy, shown here with his mother, Mrs. Evelyn Boehm, alleges that he was kidnapped from their home by a group of Ku Klux Klan members and taken to the office of Dr. John Locke, Grand Dragon of the Colorado Klan, where he was compelled to marry Miss May Nash. Boehm told the authorities he was threatened with death unless he went through with the marriage ceremony. Dr. Locke denied that any force or intimidation had been used to bring about the marriage.

Going Abroad.



FORMER CHINESE EMPEROR

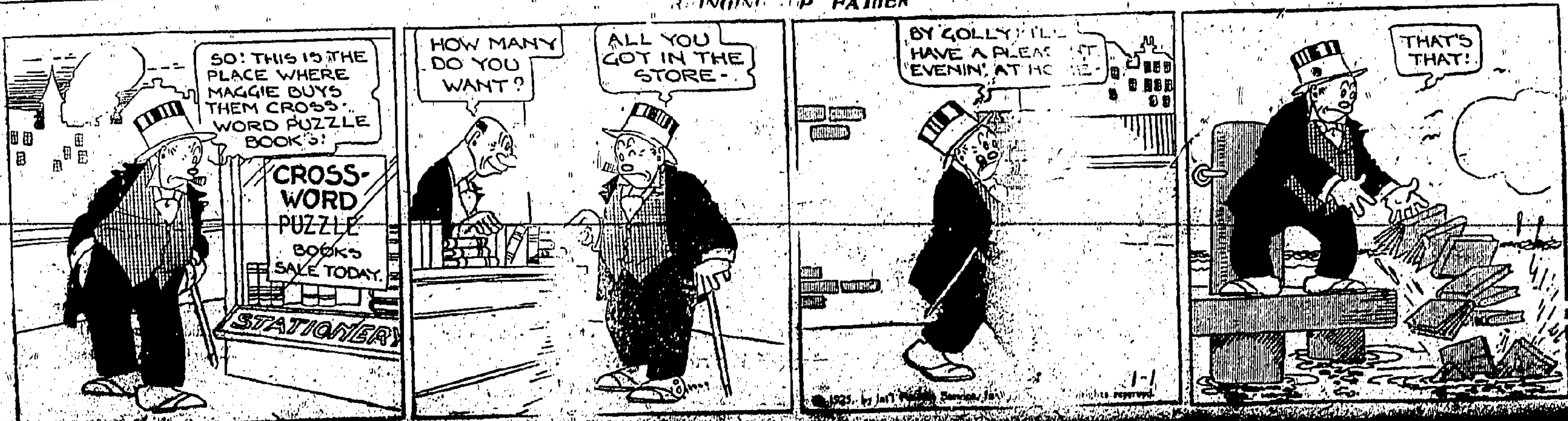
Deprived of all his titles and rank, the youthful ex-Chinese Emperor, now plain Mr. Henry Pu Yi, who has been living in utmost seclusion in the Forbidden City in Peking, from which he has just been expelled, is going to England for an extended visit.

CABINET CHANGES FORECAST.



Below: JAMES A. DAVIS & HERBERT HOOVER

The impression is growing in Washington that President Coolidge will entirely re-make the Cabinet he inherited from President Harding. The Secretary of War, Mr. John W. Weeks, the Secretary of Commerce, Mr. Herbert Hoover, and the Secretary of the Interior, Mr. J. J. Davis, are reported to be ready to retire. Mr. Alanson B. Houghton, American Ambassador to Germany, is said to be destined for the post of Ambassador to London, succeeding Frank B. Kellogg, who has been appointed Secretary of State.



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Comprising—
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Dinner Wagon, Chairs, Brass
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Crockery, Pictures, etc., etc.
Teak Bedsteads, Teak Wardrobe,
Set of Drawers, Dressing Table with
bevelled Mirror, Washstand, etc.

Also
Several Pieces of Blackwood
Furniture.
Catalogues will be issued
On View from Monday, the 23rd
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at No. 5, The Peak.

A Quantity of
Valuable Household Furniture.
Comprising—
Teak Hatstand, Chestfield Couch
and Armchairs, (Oretona Covers)
Curtain Cabinet, Book Cases, Fire Brasses,
Teak Card Table, Teak Overmantel with
bevelled Mirror, Brass Ornaments,
Curtains, Carpets, Rugs, Curios, etc.,
etc.

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Dining Table, Chairs, Teak Side Board,
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WORLD OF SPORT.**BOXING.****REVIEW OF THE YEAR IN
AMERICA.****BIG RING REVIVAL.**

In spite of a record-breaking
amount of activity, marked by no
little colour, the 1924 boxing cam-
paign in America passes into
history with few dominant
developments or sensational
results.

Lacking any high spot com-
parable with the memorable
Dempsey-Firpo battle of 1923, the
season was noteworthy chiefly for
a final and unsuccessful invasion
of America by Georges
Carpentier, downfall of Luis
Angel Firpo from the ranks of
heavyweight title contenders, and
the passing of two veteran cham-
pions. Another important de-
velopment was approval of a new
law permitting 12-round bouts in
California in 1925 and forecasts
of a big ring revival on the coast.

Only one world's title change
took place in the ring, and that
occurred when Abe Attie Goldstein
dethroned Joe Lynch as bantam-
weight title-holder in a colourless
15-round bout at Madison Square
Garden that set a colourless
champion upon the 118-pound
throne.

The other break in the ranks of
champions came when Johnny
Dundee, durable little Italian
warrior, forfeited "without a
struggle" the featherweight title
he had won the year before from
Eugene Criqui, gallant French
fighter. Dundee relinquished the
title, which he had not once
defended, because of his inability
further to make the 126-pound
limit, and the New York State
Athletic Commission has launch-
ed an elimination tournament,
the survivor of which will be recog-
nized by that body as the new
featherweight champion. It seems
likely that the result of this pro-
cedure also will be universally
accepted, thus shattering pugilistic
precedent and upsetting the old
theory and a champion cap
lose his crown only in the ring.

Dundee was shorn completely
of titles when he lost to Kid
Sullivan, the junior lightweight,
or 130-pound championship, a
division, however, which is not
generally recognized.

Starting out with prospects of
an unusual amount of title
activity, the year fell far short of
expectations in this respect for a
variety of reasons. The failure
of Jack Dempsey, heavyweight
king, to defend his crown no
doubt had its effect on the rest of
the ranks, while suspensions by
ring authorities, eleventh hour
mishaps, and a disinclination on

the part of several champions to
risk their crowns were other fac-
tors to bring about a dearth of
championship activity.

Benny Leonard, lightweight
champion, defended his crown
once by defeating Pal Moran at
Cleveland but in this bout injured
his hands to such an extent that
he was forced to call off a
scheduled battle with Mickey
Walker, the welterweight cham-
pion. Walker, handicapped by
incurring the displeasure of New
York ring sordis for refusing to
accept a challenge from Dave
Shade, nevertheless was one of
the most active champions and
has an unusual opportunity in
prospect in 1925 when he fights
Mike McTigue, the world's light
heavyweight champion.

McTigue, early last year, had a
close call against his schoolboy
rival, Young Stribling, who
nearly scored a knockout over the
champion in a no-decision bout at
Newark, N. J.

Harry Greb's middleweight
title was in little jeopardy during
the year, while Pancho Villa,
flyweight title holder, left for his
native Philippines, after failing to
go through with a match with his
closest rival, Frankie Genaro.
Villa claimed an injury prevented
his fighting, but the boxing com-
mission was dissatisfied with this
explanation and suspended him.
Greb's victories included one over
Johnny Wilson, former cham-
pion, while Villa disposed of
Frankie Ash, British flyweight.

With the memory of his
spectacular fight against Dempsey
still fresh in the minds of ring
followers, Firpo returned from
Argentina for another campaign,
but it proved a dismal failure.
The big South American, obvious-
ly not in the best of condition and
affected by legal entanglements in
which he had become involved,
was outclassed by Harry Wills,
giant negro, in a bout at Boyle's
Thirty Acres, and then suffered a
crowning setback when he was
defeated by Charley Weinert, who
had been an easy victim for the
"Wild Bull" in 1923.

These defeats were looked
upon as eliminating Firpo from
the front rank of Dempsey's
challengers, but the Argentinian
may attempt another comeback.

Wills stood out again at the end
of the season as the chief heavy-
weight contender but his victory
over Firpo failed to increase the
negro's prestige and the prospect
that he will gain a long-sought
match with Dempsey still is the
ring's principal uncertainty.

Jack Renault, hard-hitting
Canadian, has been regarded as a
formidable Dempsey rival, but
recently his stock slumped when
he unexpectedly met defeat in
Boston at the hands of Quintin
Romero, Chilean, who had failed

CRICKET.**LORD HAWKE IN HOT
WATER.**

Lord Hawke has been deserved-
ly "hit for six" by English press
comment.

Warwick Armstrong says that
Lord Hawke's remarks are re-
pugnant to cricketers, but are just
the sort of thing one would expect
from him. It would, he added, be
a good thing, for the game if he
were to get out. He has outlived
his usefulness.

Lord Chelmsford joined with
Lord Forster in condemning Lord
Hawke's remarks.

TEST MATCH FINANCE.

The M.C.C. takes £20,000 as its
share up to date of the Test gates.
It is calculated that the M.C.C.
should obtain from the whole
tour approximately £55,000, com-
pared with the £33,311 19s. 4d.
which the Australians received in
1921.

C. S. MARRIOTT'S SUCCESS.

C. S. Marriott, who was chiefly
responsible for the cheap dis-
missal of Natal by Sol Joel's
team, is a master at Dulwich
College, but obtained special leave
to make the trip to South Africa.

Going to Cambridge in 1920, he
secured his Blue as a Freshman,
and in his first season was so
successful with his slow bowling
that he headed the Varsity aver-
ages with 50 wickets for 13.58
runs apiece, taking 7 for 69 v.
Oxford.

In the following year he was
included in the Gentlemen's team
at Lord's. Marriott appeared for
Lancashire in a few matches in
1920 and 1921, and last season
threw in his lot with Kent. For
the brief time which he was then
able to devote to the game he had
the excellent record of 46 wickets
at 15.80 runs apiece.

to impress in any of his previous
bouts.

The year failed to uncover
much promising new material in
any division. The exceptions
were chiefly in the featherweight
ranks, where Dundee's retirement
stimulated activity, while Sid
Tarris, flashy New Yorker, de-
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